

## Are you ready to attest for Program Year 2018?

Providers who attested to the Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program (also known as Promoting Interoperability) for Program Year 2017 and have not received a payment, need to contact us by sending an email to [EHRIncentives@ky.gov](mailto:EHRIncentives@ky.gov) or calling (502) 564-0105 extension 2463. You will **not** be able to attest to Program Year 2018 until your 2017 attestation is in a paid status.

Before attesting to Program Year 2018 you will want to ensure your registration information is up to date at the CMS Registration [site](#). If your information requires updates, don't forget to click "Submit" to send the updated information to the state.

The user manual for Program Year 2018 Modified Stage 2 and Stage 3 is available on the [website](#) on the Resources page.

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## Important Dates:

- **January 1, 2018**  
Reporting period begins for Program Year 2018.  
MU reporting period is any consecutive 90 day period.  
eCQM reporting period is 90 days for first time MU'er and a full year for returning MU'ers.
  - **September/October 2018**  
Tentative go live dates for Program Year 2018 Modified Stage 2 and Stage 3.
  - **November 30, 2018**  
Deadline for CAHs to submit hardship exception application.
  - **December 31, 2018**  
Reporting period ends for Program Year 2018.
  - **January 1, 2019**  
Reporting period begins for Program Year 2019.  
MU reporting period is any consecutive 90 day period.  
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  - **March 31, 2019**  
Deadline to submit Program Year 2018 attestations.
  - **December 31, 2019**  
Reporting period ends for Program Year 2019.
  - **2021**  
Last year to receive Medicaid EHR incentive payment.
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## KHIE Connection

Kentucky Health Information Exchange (KHIE) is the Public Health Authority for the public health measures within the EHR Incentive Program (now known as Promoting Interoperability). In order to be deemed a Meaningful User the provider must have a signed Participation Agreement and signed addendum(s) on file with KHIE for each public health objective selected for attestation. Public Health guidance is available on the EHR website as well as the KHIE website.

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Kentucky Health Information Exchange  
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Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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## Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program (Promoting Interoperability) Status, November 26, 2018

	Registrations	Completed Attestations	Total Paid	Amount Paid
Hospitals	95	302	272	\$133,849,825.36
Providers	5,257	10,538	8,929	\$127,062,252.95
Totals	5,352	10,840	9,201	\$260,912,078.31

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## For Assistance with Meaningful Use

### Regional Extension Centers (REC)

- Kentucky REC at the University of Kentucky: <http://kentuckyrec.com/>
- Kentucky Rural Health Information Organization: <https://krhio.org/>

### Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program (Promoting Interoperability)

- Medicaid EHR website <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/Pages/ehr.aspx>
- Send an email to [EHRIncentives@ky.gov](mailto:EHRIncentives@ky.gov)
- Send an email from Send E-mail function at <https://prdweb.chfs.ky.gov/KYSLR/Login.aspx>
- Submit an Issue/Concern through attestation website